**Missionaries of the Month:** There are three Hispanic churches being planted through partnership with VMC and VMMissions who desperately need your financial and prayer support. The Spirit is moving and bringing transformation to lives and families right in our community.

<u>Alfonso Alvarado</u> is on track to receiving his residency but is required to work full-time for a year.

<u>Armando and Veronica Sanchez</u> began Esperanza de Vida on N. Route 11 and are now planting a church in partnership with Waynesboro Mennonite Church. Join this brother and sister as they minister to men in prison, broken families, and so much more.

<u>Juan José Lagos</u> is church planting in North Carolina and serving with his wife as they reflect Christ in the community God has called them to. Please prayerfully consider partnering with these brothers and sister in the work God has invited them into.

**A Look at VMMissions** Pray for the Lord's favor in the interactions of C. Farah Grace (name changed) with Arabic-speaking people in Harrisonburg, Va. Ask God for good opportunities for her to share her hope in Jesus.



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# Weavers Mennonite Church

## Children & Youth Sunday, June 11, 2023 - 10:30AM 9:30AM Sunday School classes

Called into God's Family, we join together to be transformed through worship, to nurture one another, to be equipped to serve Jesus Christ, and to carry out His mission in the world.

### Welcome & Announcements

Scripture Reading Psalm 139:13-18 First Fruits Giving

#### Worship in Song

receiving of coins by the Children c/o Rachel & Andry Stutzman

"He's Got the Whole World" "To God be the Glory" "The B I B L E" "This Little Light of Mine"

## Skit and Meditation from the Youth

VT 516 - "Jesus Loves Me"

### Consecration/Blessing of Children, Parents, and Congregation

Lance & Kristin and Macie Wenger Trevor & Abby, and Adalynn Oyer Jacob & Laura, and Montgomery Wheeler

(live stream will end)

## **Sharing and Prayer**

Sending Song VT - VT 163 "Amazing Grace"

VT = Voices Together hymnal

Nursery is available in an adjoining classroom during the Worship Service (staffed today by: Abby Oyer or Joy Kiser, and Alesha Lehman)

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#### **Upcoming Weavers Calendar**

- Sewing Day, Wed, June 14, 9am-2pm
- Wednesday, Prayer meeting by Zoom, <u>6:30pm</u>

#### Announcements All are welcome following the service for the picnic fellowship lunch.

- **Birthdays: Happy birthday to:** Stephanie Schrock Hurst (today!), Dianna Lehman, Selah Shenk, Todd Early, and Evie Sauder.
- **Thank you for your continued contributions**. Ways to give may include your bank's bill pay, which is often a free service. Other ways are via mail, paypal on the church website, bank transfer or dropping by the office. Designations from this past week: Budget \$3,293.12; Building Fund \$450; Men's Retreat \$195.53
- Remember to pray this week for the Work Team traveling to Punta Gorda, FL to the Wilderness Gator Camp. Participants include: Curt & Jeanne Stutzman, Debbie Rhodes, Allison Rhodes, Joe Early, Levi Early, Wayne & Beth Miller, Kevin & Sandy Byler, and Daniel & Lydia Martin.

Also pray for Nolan Beach who will be doing ministry at Renew Camp (in Harrisonburg).

- The WMC Building Committee is looking for a volunteer or two that have some painting experience to paint the former foyer Nursery/Sr. SS classroom in the church. This job also would involve removing the wallpaper border that is just above the wainscoting in that room. The paint will be supplied. Also, we are looking for someone to paint the former nursery room in the church basement. See one of the committee members if you are interested. Debbie Rhodes, Dianna Lehman, Ray Good, Dave Bechler, Rod Burkholder, or Ed Lehman.
- If you are not already on the Weavers congregational email group and would like to be a part of receiving congregational communication and prayer request emails, please respond to Sandi by email to weaversmc@weaversmc.org with your information.

Thank you for the recent provision of meals and your prayers following the loss of my husband, Gene, and for including me in this congregation. - Marcia Nussbaum

Church league softball schedule...Come out and cheer for Weavers!

June 12th - 7:00 EMHS 19th - 6:00 and 7:00 EMHS 22nd - 9:00 WR 29th - 6:00 WR July 6th - 6:00 EMHS

11th - 9:00 WR 17th - 6:00 and 7:00 EMHS Jesus Be the Center: 2023 VMC Summer Delegate Assembly registration opened on June 1. Attend in person at Park View Mennonite Church or via zoom. Guest are welcome. General public is invited to a worship service on Friday evening, July 14 at PVMC.

Katerina Gea, Mennonite pastor and an organizer with the Coalition to Dismantle the Doctrine of Discovery, will be in Harrisonburg and will offer a presentation on June 15 at 8:30am at Park View Mennonite Church. This Network is open to faith communities, and offers a broader network of support to grow in solidarity and right relations with Indigenous Peoples (see flyer *on Weavers information table*, and <u>their website</u> for more info). The meeting will be at PVMC in the lower level Fireplace Room (*entrance marked "Fireplace Room Entrance*"). Coffee and coffee cake will be provided. An RSVP is not necessary but appreciated. paula@pvmchurch.org; 540-434-1604 (office); 215-390-0276 (cell)

Read VA Mennonite Missions current issue of <u>Transforming, our quarterly</u> <u>magazine</u>. Copies are also located on the information table.

Weavers: The VBS Babylon Marketplace focusing on stories about Daniel is planned for Saturday July 8 from 1:00 - 5:00 followed by a picnic, in partnership with Mt. Clinton Mennonite Church. Please pray about how you can help and let Joyce Nussbaum know as soon as possible. joyce@weaversmc.org

### Needed:

Shop keepers to be in charge of the following shops, and helpers for each shop (1:00-5:00 with a 1 hour break)

Music - making instruments

**Metalworking -** using heavy foil and raised letters to make nameplates **Food Court -** providing baskets of fruit, breads, cheeses etc. and talking about Daniel

**Mosaics -** decorating wooden boxes with jewels in a mosaic pattern **Royal animal courtyard supervisor (and animals)** 

Worship focus leader - 1 hour Helper for Activities/games - 1 hour Shopkeeper assistants Registration (12:30 - 1:30)

## Items needed:

10 canopies tissue boxes toilet paper or paper towel cardboard tubes empty plastic water bottles with lids shoe boxes or other boxes similar in size stuffed animal lions (to borrow)

